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<u>PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME</u>

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Date: 6 February 2008

Dear Sir:

In accordance with the provisions of 37 C.F.R. §1.136(a), it is respectfully requested that a 1-month extension of time be granted in which to respond to the outstanding Office Action mailed October 22, 2007, said period of response being extended from January 22, 2008 to February 22, 2008.

Please charge Deposit Account No. 13-2725 in the amount of \$60.00 to cover the required extension fee for a Small entity.

Respectfully submitted,

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